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In re the Application of

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## LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired <u>December 13, 2002</u>. An extension of time for a period of one month was filed and paid for on December 26, 2002. An extension of time for a period of two months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. <u>139447</u> in the amount of \$820.00 in payment for:

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Respectfully submitted,

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